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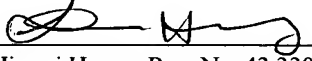
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : TAKAHIRO MATANO et al.  
 Application No. : 10/510,943  
 Filed : October 07, 2004  
 For : OPTICAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE  
 : SUBSTRATE, METHOD OF  
 : MANUFACTURING THE SAME, AND  
 : OPTICAL COMMUNICATION DEVICE  
 : USING THE SAME  
 Group Art Unit :

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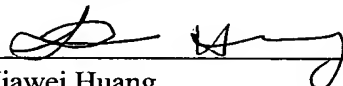
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Respectfully submitted,  
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### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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